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Excise Police Issues 58 Citations at OAR Concert

INDIANAPOLIS (July 13) – The Indiana State Excise Police issued 58 citations during last night's O.A.R. Reblution concert at White River State Park.

Most of the tickets were for alcohol- and drug-related offenses.

Last night's citations are up 29% from last year's O.A.R. concert, when excise officers issued 45 tickets for various offenses.

During last night's concert, excise officers cited 35 people for illegal possession or consumption of alcohol. Ten of those cited for underage drinking were less than 18 years of age. One 15-year-old male tested .15% BrAC.

Nine people were cited on drug-related charges, most for possession of marijuana.

Excise officers also issued seven tickets for false ID-related offenses and cited one juvenile for possession of tobacco.

Those cited will appear in Marion Superior Court on future dates. The juveniles were all released to a parent or guardian.

Indiana State Excise Police officers are the enforcement division of the Indiana Alcohol & Tobacco Commission. While excise officers have the authority to enforce any state law, they focus primarily on alcohol, tobacco and related violations.

All criminal defendants are to be presumed innocent until, and unless, proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt in a court of law.